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Two former Endeavorers, Richard M. Nixon and evangelist Billy Graham, shake hands at the final service of the September Pittsburgh Area Crusade. Both are recipients of International Youth's Distinguished Service Citation.

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November

28-December 1 — Hawaii Young People's Conference, Kona, Hawaii

December

5-8 — Executives' Program Council, Columbus, Ohio
26-28 — New Jersey Retreat, Camp Bernie

President-Elect Nixon Trained in Endeavor

The Honorable Richard M. Nixon, president-elect of the United States, is a former Christian Endeavorer. As a teen-ager he was active in the society at the Friends Church of East Whittier, California, where he served as president and also as pianist.

In 1959 the International Society presented Mr. Nixon, then the vice president of the United States, with its eighth International Youth's Distinguished Service Citation. Other recipients include Admiral Richard E. Byrd, the Honorable Herbert C. Hoover, the Honorable Harold E. Stassen, Dr. Daniel A. Poling, Mrs. Helen Lyon Jones, the Honorable Theodor R. McKeldin, the Honorable Walter H. Judd, Dr. Billy Graham, Dr. George K. Schweitzer, Roy Rogers and Dale Evans, and Jerome Hines.

On November 6 the International Society sent this telegram to Mr. Nixon: "Christian Endeavorers across North America send congratulations to an outstanding Christian Endeavor alumnus on your election to the presidency of the United States. We praise that, trusting in the Lord Jesus Christ for strength, you will lead our nation into new paths of righteousness, justice, and peace."

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"What are you living for that is worth dying for?"

**The real life testimony of Denis Dixon of Australia
Member of Stanmore Baptist Young People's Society**

Reprinted from the July 1968 AUSTRALIAN ENDEAVORER

"Dead my brother had died two hours ago"—these were the words my neighbor was telling me as he ushered me into her place. "Could this be possible?" I thought. "Why, it was only two days ago that I was saying goodbye to him."

I can remember it now as if it were a moment ago. He was sitting on the arm of the lounge as I walked out of the front door. It was Friday night and I was off to the Gold Coast on an eagerly-anticipated 10-day holiday . . .

Now it was three o'clock on Sunday afternoon. After only one day at Surfers I received an urgent telegram from Dad saying that Raymond was in hospital, the victim of a gang attack. I slept little that night. I couldn't get a plane before one o'clock on Sunday. Flying home I convinced myself that there was nothing to worry about. But here was the woman telling me that he was dead. I never said a thing; my mind was reeling from the shock. She helped me into her place as best she could.

After spending some time there, I felt I had enough strength to walk the few paces to my house to where my mother was. She was under deep sedation and in deep grief. All she could say to me, as I knelt beside her on the bed, was, "Our little Raymond has gone. Denis, he never hurt anyone. Why did he have to die?" I could not answer her question. He had told

her a few weeks before he had died, "Mum, I don't want to be 18. It seems so old."

He was a tall, thin boy who weighed only seven stone. He was attacked by five boys and kicked and beaten. The only thing my parents said was that they were glad that I didn't see him before he died — his face was beaten beyond recognition. He died from a blot clot on the brain. Many of you will remember the case, as it made sensational headlines.

I was not a Christian at the time, and had no time for religion of any kind. However, Dad had been associated with a church for about 12 months. He had come to the lowest ebb in his life through heavy drinking and it was through the people of the church that he had found a new lease of life. But he was not a committed Christian and still lived a lot of his old life.

During the week that followed, people came in their dozens. The thing that stood out in my mind was the number of church people who came. All had a deep, sincere sympathy and yet I did not know one of them. I was invited away for a few days by one of them. I accepted gladly, as I wanted to try and forget everything. I stayed there for three days. The third day being Sunday, they asked me to go to church.

I went with them, not knowing what to expect. This day we went to a different church to hear a special

speaker. He was a missionary who had been in Australia for only a few days. When he began his sermon he started off by saying what he had heard about in the few days that he had been here. He started preaching by saying how shocked he was by the death of Raymond, not knowing that I, his brother, was in the congregation.

I heard little of the sermon, but the one thing I did hear was that God can answer every need of the human heart. Could He meet my need? Could He explain my brother's death? I realized that no man could give an answer; if there was a God, perhaps He could give me an answer. I prayed to God for the first time in my life, asking Him for this.

When I did this, I felt complete peace fill my soul. I couldn't explain it. Gone was the heartbreak. It seemed as if God had flowed into my heart, taking control of it. I felt happiness and peace for the first time since Raymond's death.

As yet, I knew nothing about Christ, or the way of salvation; all I had done was to come to God and ask for help, which He had given me.

I started going to church to find out more of this God Who could meet a need like mine. Up to this time, Christ to me had been someone who was crucified two thousand years ago. Now I was learning that He was God's only Son, Who died for me on the cross so that I would know forgiveness of sins and inherit eternal life.

I accepted Christ as my Saviour a short time later and found that I had a personal and intimate relationship with God through His Son. His love filled me with such joy that I became alive for the first time in my life.

Up to this point in my life I had been completely associated with the ways of the world. I frequented all

the discos, I drank both socially and heavily on nights out with the boys. I gambled; in fact, I was the same as ten thousand other boys of my age. But now things were different. One by one Jesus convicted me of these things being wrong. I didn't overcome them all at once, but with God's strength I gave Him each one of these sins in my life. He replaced each one with something of Himself. Such freedom and joy in living I had never though possible! Even before this happened I had been subconsciously searching for something — anything — to satisfy.

I tried everything the world could offer and yet every time I went home to bed I felt empty and felt something was missing. Things were different now; that missing part had been filled by Christ and He satisfied me completely.

However, a Christian life is never easy and my greatest test was to come from my father. He would not accept it that I had become a Christian. He could see things in my life that were lacking in his and he started to pick up on every mistake I made, saying "A Christian doesn't do this."

I thank God that He is helping me through this time, as it is still going on, some 18 months after I became a Christian. Trying to maintain a witness is not easy when there is conflict in the home. But these trials are small compared with the joy of serving Christ.

This year He has led me to night school to prepare myself for His full-time service and I am prepared to do whatever He wants.

Let me say in closing that Christ has given me complete and lasting peace, while both my parents have gone through abject suffering as they do not know the Saviour. I pray that even now they will come to know Him.



"Dan Poling induced me in 1919 to give up business and finance to become a part of Christian Endeavor," says Carroll M. Wright in a recent letter about the Poling Memorial Fund. Mr. Wright (right) served as executive secretary and treasurer of the International Society for many years while Dr. Poling was president. He is now in charge of Memorial Home Community, Penney Farms, Florida.

November 30 Birthday Gifts To Swell Poling Memorial Fund

For more than half a century Dr. Daniel A. Poling influenced youth to know and serve Jesus Christ. A major channel of his work was through the Christian Endeavor movement which he served for many years as president of both the International Society and the World's Union. The outreach of his witness is without measure, spanning the entire globe.

Soon after his death last February, the International Society began to raise a Poling Memorial Fund to perpetuate the powerful influence of this life. The Fund, which also honors Dr. Poling's wife Lillian and their son Clark, will be held in perpetuity. The income will be used for ongoing Christian Endeavor work in North America.

The goal is \$83,000 — \$1,000 for each year of Dr. Poling's life. In addition to his bequest of \$5,000 to the International Society, which was used to begin the Fund, Endeavorers have already given over \$100 for each year of his life. The Fund is better than 15% realized.

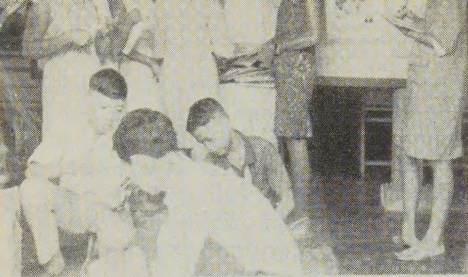
Dr. Daniel K. Poling, vice-president of the International Society and son of the late Dr. Poling, expressed sat-

isfaction and enthusiasm at the results when he heard the report at the meeting of the Board of Trustees October 26 in Columbus, Ohio. He was encouraged to learn of further plans to realize the ultimate goal of \$83,000.

On November 30 Dr. Poling would have marked his 84th birthday. In October a letter was sent to many Endeavorers over the signature of Carroll M. Wright, currently Finance Committee chairman of the International Society, urging special birthday gifts or pledges. Enclosed was a bookmark with a significant quotation about Christian Endeavor from the pen of Dr. Poling. Additional bookmarks are available upon request from Headquarters in Columbus.

Word has been received that Ely J. Perry of Kinston, North Carolina, who died July 7, included a bequest of \$500 in his will for the Poling Memorial Fund, stating that he was a "great admirer of Daniel A. Poling."

Gifts to this Fund may take the form of cash or pledge contributions, as well as stocks, bonds, insurance policies, bequests, or other special gifts.

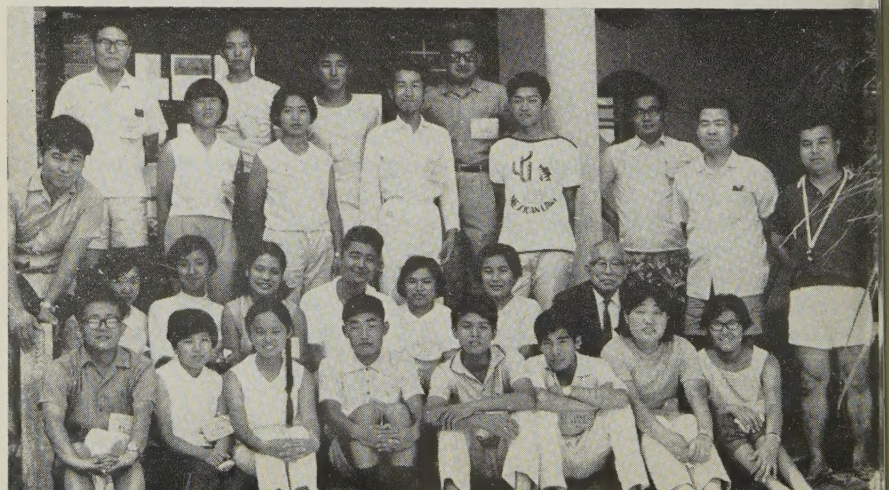


PHILIPPINES — A new teen-age society has just been organized in the Faith Bible Church of Manila. Rev. Nene Ramientes, pastor, says, "I am greatly thrilled at the possibilities of our youth here and many more in the other churches would no doubt follow as we present the program to them. My congregation belongs to the United Church of Christ in the Philippines which has the largest following in the country. We all love the Lord." He reports that a young adult society is soon to be organized. In the photo (top left) the teen-agers are shown working on the church library. Every Sunday afternoon they meet for fellowship and Bible study. They are quite sharp in Bible quizzes.

Progress in the Pacific

AUSTRALIA — The Third Australian Summer School of Leadership will be held January 13-19, 1969. Rev. Fred J. Nile, Australian national director, heads the school which has a large instruction panel. The curriculum includes many courses in methods and practical application. Afternoons are free for sports and tours. The school is open to any Endeavorers from the Pacific area. Write to Mr. Nile at G.P.O. Box 5093, Sydney, N.S.W., Australia.

JAPAN — This summer the Japanese Union held three very successful dedication camps for high school students. Pictured below are those at the camp in Kansai, western Japan. Kojiro Hata, Japan president, is seated in front of the pole. Other camps were at Kanto (eastern area) and Lake Biwa. Chief emphasis is on commitments for full-time Christian work.



Canada 1970— Convention's Coming



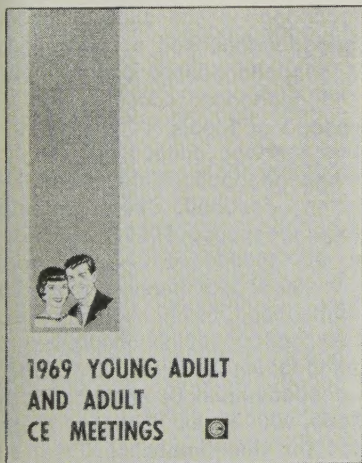
Endeavorers in Canada are organizing for an all-out effort to host the 49th World's and 50th International Christian Endeavor Conventions to be held concurrently August 19-23, 1970. The gathering in Kitchener-Waterloo, Ontario, is expected to attract 10,000 delegates from all parts of the world. Already Endeavorers in Australia are making plans for a tour party to Canada with visits in major United States cities en route. German Endeavorers expect to charter planes to bring several hundred to Canada. The British Union is receiving deposits for the 1970 Canadian tour. The 1966 Bel-Just Convention Choir hopes to bring

150 to 200 to the convention. Endeavorers in many other parts of the world, as well as Canada and the United States, are making ambitious plans for 1970.

C. J. Rempel, general chairman of the Canadian Convention Committee, reports committee organization is almost complete. Meetings are being held regularly.

Convention activities will center in the Kitchener Memorial Auditorium, seating 7,500, and the very modern University of Waterloo, where delegates will be housed. Registration fee for those outside of Canada is \$2 U.S. for students, \$5 for all others.

1969 Resource for Young Adults/Adults

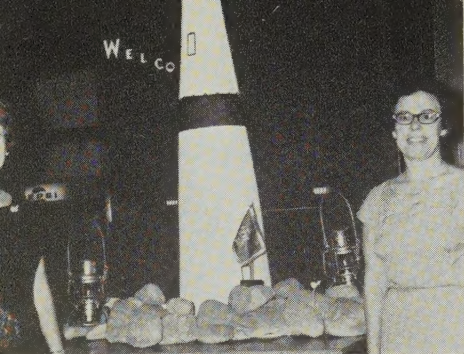


The 1969 YOUNG ADULT AND ADULT CE MEETINGS is a new 30-page mimeographed unit for Young Adult and Adult Christian Endeavor societies.

The unit includes topic summaries for each Sunday in 1969—a full year's program. The summaries may be used as single topics or in a series. The unit also contains a bibliography covering a wide range of resource materials on all subjects.

Price: 35c each

Order from
International Society of Christian Endeavor



Photos by Rev. Christian

THIS PORTLAND HEADLIGHT replica, made by Joy (left) and Hazel Steager of Indiana, gave a real New England seacoast atmosphere to the semi-formal banquet of this year's Great Lakes Regional Conference. Miniature lighthouses were used on the tables.

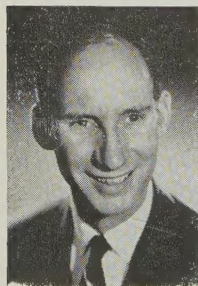
PORTLAND PILGRIMAGE

July 4-6, 1969, Christian Endeavorers will gather at the birthplace of the first society — Williston Congregational Church, Portland, Maine.

The weekend will emphasize the four basic principles and challenge youth to the great opportunities facing the movement today and in the next decade approaching 1981, Christian Endeavor's centennial year.

Outstanding Leaders

Mrs. Eleanor Searle Whitney of New York will speak at the mass meeting Friday night, July 4. Mrs. Whitney is a former concert, opera, and oratorio soloist who committed her life to Christ in 1957 during Billy Graham's New York Crusade.



Rev. H. Norman Pell

Rev. H. Norman Pell of Atlanta is the speaker for the mass meeting Saturday night, July 5. A former national director of the Australian Union and an ordained Baptist minister whose work majored in evangelism, Mr. Pell

is associated with the Billy Graham Team as director of the Leighton Ford Crusades.

Other participants include Rev. George L. Blackwell, Bishop Clyde W. Meadows, Elwood Dunn, Arch. McQuilkin, Frances M. Becker, Rev. Ralph E. Robrahn, Lawrence L. Hanby, and Lawrence R. Deal.

Special Pilgrimage features will be the opening Fellowship Banquet, the presentation of the 1969 Albert E. Diebold Awards, and a boatride among New England Clambake on one of the 365 Calendar Islands.

Housing and Meals

Headquarters hotel will be the Sheraton-Eastland Motor Hotel in downtown Portland. Special rates per night are: single, \$12.75; double, \$17 (\$8.50 per person); triple, \$19.50 (\$6.50 per person). Members of Williston Church will provide a limited amount of free housing for students under 25, breakfast included. Reservations must be made early.

Meals will be at Williston Church except for the Clambake. Total cost of the meals is \$15, including the Friday Banquet, Saturday lunch and Clambake, and Sunday lunch.

Eastern Canadian Provinces and Portland Pilgrimage Tour

July 3-20, 1969

17 days

Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Maine,
Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario, and
New York

Join Christian Endeavorers for the inspiration of the Portland Pilgrimage,
followed by a tour of four of the most varied and beautiful of the Canadian
provinces.

The personally-conducted motorcoach tour, covering over 3,000 miles, will
leave New York City Thursday morning, July 3, arriving back at New York
Sunday evening, July 20. The price at present published rates is \$495. A
deposit of \$50 will reserve a place.. For further information contact Rev.
Christian A. Tirre, Tour Director, International Society of Christian Endeavor.

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Are Christian Youth Witnessing?

Is witnessing for Christ a major part of the life of every Endeavorer? Does each society effectively plan and carry out a program of witness in the community? Are local unions bringing youth together to witness in the name of Christ?

Witnessing is the very essence of Christian Endeavor. Ways must be found to communicate youth to youth. No generation gap exists when youth witness to their peers.

Christian Endeavor's Christian Youth Witness Program does not ask youth, societies, or local unions to do something unusual or different; rather, it is set up to recognize those individuals and groups which are doing an excellent service in witnessing—the basic task of every Christian.

The Albert H. Diebold Awards for the 1969 Christian Youth Witness Program will total more than \$1,300 in cash, grants to attend the Portland Pilgrimage, award plaques, and certificates.

This eighteenth annual recognition program is based on Christian witness projects reported by individuals, Christian Endeavor societies and similar youth groups, and local unions in the United States and Canada. Deadline for entries is February 14, 1969.

Winners will be announced April 25, with awards presented during the Portland Pilgrimage July 4-6.

Areas of Witness

The program can encompass any area of witness by which youth make their Christian convictions vitally effective in their daily relationships.

Included might be sponsoring a project to show the Gospel teachings concerning an evil such as prejudice, Communism, gambling, or obscene literature; conducting an education program on the effects of smoking, the use of alcohol, or the use of narcotics; encouraging the proper observance of the Lord's Day; urging Christian participation in politics; distributing portions of Scripture and encouraging Bible reading and prayer; providing training in personal evangelism, culminating in an approach such as youth-to-youth witnessing; and a host of others.

Helps Available

There are many agencies which have numerous helps which might be used by individuals and groups in witnessing projects. These include the American Bible Society, Religion In American Life, the Lord's Day Alliance, Religious Activities Department of the National Safety Council, Women's



"When Religion Is Strong"

By John Wilmot, Citizenship Convener

Christian Endeavor Union of Great Britain and Ireland

One hundred and twenty years ago a document appeared on the continent of Europe entitled "The Communist Manifesto." It began with the ominous words, "A specter is haunting Europe — the specter of Communism." Its writer was Karl Marx, the vitriolic anti-Semite born a German Jew, whose bones lie in a London cemetery. We see today how this specter has spread its influence to every part of the globe, taking every opportunity to absorb, destroy, infiltrate, dominate — imposing its atheistic and materialistic ideology by force where there is reluctance to accept it.

Fifty years ago Lenin proceeded to define even more clearly the basic Communist doctrine, "There is no God." Religion was claimed to be the first enemy of Socialist progress. So it is not surprising to

read Lenin's admission that "WHEN RELIGION IS STRONG, COMMUNISM IS WEAK." By 1952 there was evidence that by processes of "scientific infiltration" most of the free countries of the world, large and small, were suffering from the activities of Communist cells.

The terrifying faith, devotion, and dedication of the adherents to the Communist religion can only be contained, countered, and overcome by the strengthening of the faith, devotion, and dedication of Christ's people to Him and to His cause in the world. Communism is but one manifestation of the power of the Enemy. There are others; but in all things, the Lord Jesus Christ has the victory through the merits of His Cross.

n's Christian Temperance Union, etc. Write to Rev. Christian A. Tirre, executive secretary of the International Society, for specific information.

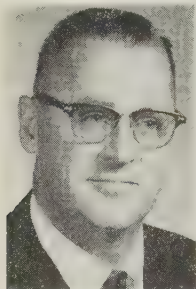
Are you witnessing for Christ? Use the 1969 Christian Youth Witness Program to tell the Christian Endeavor world about it.

PARADE FLOATS witness to the community and also win awards, say Evansville District (Indiana) Union members who pose (left) with award plaque won in the 1968 Christian Youth Witness Program along with \$125 in cash. The union's float took first place honors; the awards were presented at the June Indiana Retreat by Veva C. Steen, regional vice-president. Entering a float again in 1968 in the Fall Festival Parade the union won this trophy (right) proudly displayed by counselors Major and Betty Snow, for third place.



NEWS

Wolverine Head



Rev. Fred Sawdy, president of the Michigan Union, combines work as pastor of the Hasting Church of the United Brethren in Christ with his own business of television sales

and service in Clarksville. He has held many Christian Endeavor offices, including three years as president of Victory Union. He is currently enrolled in a correspondence course from Huntington Seminary. He and his wife Doris have two daughters ages 11 and 15 and two sons 2 and 4.

Philadelphians Honored

John R. Harper, co-chairman of the local committee for the 1959 International Convention, and *Bishop J. Gordon Howard*, chairman of the local committee for the Columbus 1955 Convention, both received the St. George's Award October 22. The award is presented by Old St.

George's United Methodist Church, Philadelphia, in recognition of "distinguished service to the United Mesadist Church." *Charles S. Drain Jr.*, also from the City of Brotherly Love, was recently elected moderator of the Philadelphia Presbytery, one of the few laymen to be so honored. He will be installed January 14, 1969.

Maryland President

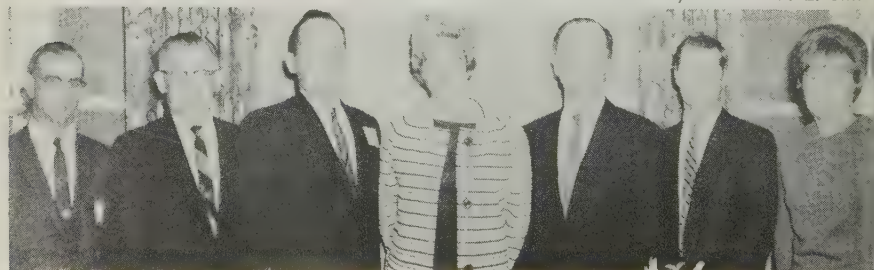
W. Valroy Redick, supervisor of health and safety for Mack Trucks, Inc., heads the Maryland Union. A graduate of Geneva College with a B.S. degree in industrial engineering, Mr.



Redick was a Pennsylvania Christian Endeavor leader for a number of years before moving to Hagerstown. He is active in the Presbyterian Church where he is currently clerk of session. He and his wife Ethel have a married son and daughter plus a 15-year-old daughter at home.

MARYLAND UNION OFFICERS installed at the convention October 4 at New Windsor are (from left) Roger L. Boone, treasurer; Rev. Howard M. Yohe, field secretary; W. Valroy Redick, president; Mrs. Larry Shaff, Alde E. Imus, and Carl Conaway, vice-presidents, and Bonnie Lushbaugh, secretary.

Photo by Warren P. E. Smith





ENDEAVORERS IN ACTION

Oregon Launches "Five S" Contest

Oregon Union's executive secretary, Mrs. Ray Pulsifer, launched a "Five S" contest this year:

- S-SOCIETY — young people
- S-SPECIAL — state materials
- S-SOMEBODY — one representative

S-SPELLS — volunteer basis

S-SACRIFICE — willing workers

Through this new venture of service, Mrs. Pulsifer is lining up persons to be their "Society's Special Somebody" and work sacrificially in the local church.

Kentucky Alumni

An alumni trip to eastern Kentucky October 5-6 included a visit to Annville Institute with a tour of the new facilities directed by Mrs. Janet Van Der Woude and participation in Sunday school and church services at Forest Hill Community Center, Morris Fork, with Nola and Sam Vander Meer. Those who participated called it a "wonderful weekend."

FELLOWSHIP as well as leadership training was an important part of the Great Lakes Regional Conference October 19-20 at Winona Lake, Indiana. Enjoying the banquet (right) are (from left) Helen and Arch J. McQuilkin, Betty and Major Snow, and Veva C. Steen, regional vice-president. The pizza party (below) featured a lion hunt led by Mr. McQuilkin and "pumpkin carols" (below right).

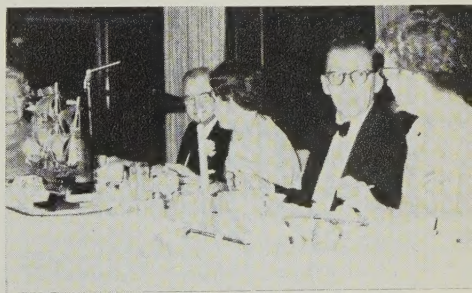
Youth CE Meetings Editor

Mrs. Helen Louise West, wife of Rev. Clyde E. West of St. Andrew Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Missouri, has been named editor of YOUTH CE MEETINGS beginning with the first quarter 1969 issue.



In March Mrs. West's first book, "Adopted Four and Had One More," was published by Bethany Press. This is an autobiography of Christian family living.

Mrs. West grew up in Christian Endeavor; her father, Rev. Alfred C. Crouch, was Missouri executive secretary for 11 years. She holds a B.S. degree in education from Kansas State College and an M.A. in speech education from St. Louis University. The Wests have four living children ranging in age from 5 to 12 years.



1968 HONOR ROLL

Societies, unions, and other groups which have enrolled May through October are listed. Each has received an enrollment certificate—gold seal certificates indicate a contribution of \$100 or more; red seals, \$50 or more; blue seals, at least \$15. Groups are arranged alphabetically by states and provinces. As others enroll they will be listed in future issues.

UNIONS

Gold Seal

Northfield Conference for Youth,
Massachusetts Union

Junior Convention, Michigan Union
Ohio Union

Red Seal

Poling Alumni Foundation No. 1, Ohio
Philadelphia Longtimers Association,
Pennsylvania

Blue Seal

Washington State Union

OTHER GROUPS

Gold Seal

Wurdack Memorial Presbyterian Church,
St. Louis, Missouri

SOCIETIES

(The name or age group of the society is listed where known)

Red Seal

Williston Church, Portland, Maine

Blue Seal

Pioneer United Brethren in Christ Church,
Pioneer, Ohio

Sherwood United Brethren Church, Sherwood, Ohio

Societies of Olivet Evangelical Congregational Church, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

Young People's, Mt. Washington United Brethren Church, Dover, Pennsylvania

Intermediate, First Primitive Methodist Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Grace Chapel United Presbyterian Church, Uniontown, Pennsylvania

West Grove Presbyterian Church, West Grove, Pennsylvania

Outdoor Posters Still Available

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AS I SEE IT

Looking Across The President's Desk

By ELWOOD DUNN

I was sitting about three rows from the front of the church and directly in front of the pulpit in historic Baptist Temple in Philadelphia. The huge building was completely packed with young people and their leaders. Dark-clad secret service men were as thick as bees in a flower garden. The man they were protecting was Vice-President Richard M. Nixon. He was about to speak to the vast audience of an International Christian Endeavor Convention.

Mr. Nixon recounted how he had grown up in Christian Endeavor, saying he had been president of the society and adding with a smile that he had played the piano for the meetings. Having as vice-president presided over some of the most important meetings of his country, he remembered that his first presiding effort was in the society meetings. He commented, "I had more good experience there than I could have gathered from any other organization." "For this reason," he continued, "I have a very special place in my heart for Christian Endeavor."

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